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## PREMPEILS SUBMISSION

How the Ashantee King Yielded to Great Britain.

WARFARE DEVOID OF BLOODSHED.

The African Ruler Was Completely Overawed by the Show of Force Made by His Captors, and His Surrender Was Most Abject-Held for Ransom.

CAPE COAST CASTLE, Africa. Jan. 23 .-The following details of the palaver be tween Sir Francis Scott, commander of the expeditionary force, and King Prempeh, of Ashantee, when the latter made his submission to Great Britain at Cosmassie, have just been received from that

The troops formed in the principal square of Coomassie at 7 o'clock in the morning on Monday last, preparatory to the great palaver. Fir Francis Scott and his staff were seated in a semi-circle in the square shortly afterwards, and an officer was sent to the palace with instructions to impress upon the mind of King Prempen that if he did not appear before the British com-mander within five minutes after this summons that he would be taken from his palace by force.

The king made a show of resistance, but finally accompanied the officer, surrounded by an escort, to the square. Arriving there King Prempeh was introduced to the British governor, who recited at length the negotiations which had been conducted between the representatives of Great Britain and Ashantee, ending by informing the king that he must formally submit to Great Britain and give up immediately 50,000 ounces of gold as an indemnity for the expenses incurred by the British government in sending an expedition to bring his majesty to terms. The king was also informed that he must keep the streets clean and maintain order among the pop-

King Prempeh was greatly impressed by the show of force in the square, the Maxim guns being conveniently posted and every yard being utilized by the British and their native allies. Finally the king. through an interpreter, replied that he was ready to submit to the British, took off his crown and sandals and advanced to the seats upon which Sir Francis Scott and the governor were seated surrounded by their staffs. His majesty then placed his head between the feet of Sir Francis Scott and those of the British governor. clasping them with his hands and actually grovelling in the dust as a mark of his complete submission.

This display of helplessness upon the part of King Prempeh greatly impressed the Ashantees present. They were greatly agitated and talked excitedly together, but they made no attempt at resistance.

The governor finally made the king arise and recalled to his majesty's mind that he had been requested to immediately pay 50,000 ounces of gold to the representatives of Great Britain. King Prempeh said he only possessed 350 ounces of gold, and that he had no means of collecting the 50,000 ounces demanded by the British. To this the governor replied that the demand of British must be complied with, as the king's ability to pay the amount demanded was too well known to admit of any dis-

cussion. King Prempeh then asked for time, but the governor answered that upon a previous occasion the Ashantees had failed to keep their promises made to the British, and that the latter lad no intention of giving them the opportunity of doing the same thing again. The governor then abruptly announced that King Prempeh, the queen mother, the king's father and the other chiefs of importance present would be taken prisoners under escort to Cape Coast castle.

The governor's words fell like a thunderbolt upon the assemblage of Ashantee natives, and there was an impetuous movement forward which boded trouble. But the troops were promptly ordered to "carry arms," and the machine like precision with which the Martini-Henry carbines were lifted from the ground struck dismay into the Ashantees and probably averted serious trouble, for they fell back as if fearing a volley from the troops.

One of the chiefs, however, rose from his sent near King Prempeh and uttered some shrill words in a loud tone of voice. Those were interpreted as saying that the Ashanices complained that replies which their ambassadors had brought back from Great Britain had misled them. The governor said that their ambassadors would also be made prisoners and taken to Cape Coast eastle, where they will be charged with forgery in having put their names, apparently, to documents of a misleading

A strong guard of British troops then moved forward and surrounded the king, the queen mother, the king's father, the prominent chiefs and the ambassadors. The prisoners were quickly removed to a large house which was surrounded by the guard, and then the Ashantees were

quietly dispersed by the troops. The whole affair was splendidly arranged and admirably executed. In fact

organized until it reached Coomassie there has not been a single hitch in the arrangements, and it has not been necessary to fire

The submission and capture of King Prempeh will ensure British supremacy in that part of Africa for many years to come. His majesty, his relatives and the chiefs captured will be kept at Cape Coast castle until the 50,000 ounces of gold demanded by the British governor are forthcoming and until all the other questions connected with the expedition and its objects have been arranged.

Near Coomassie the British discovered and burned the notorious sacrificing grove, full of skulls and bones of the victims of King Prempeh. The making of human sacrifices was one of the leading com-plaints which the British had against King Prempeh and his predecessors, and this practice has now been put a stop to.

A Juvenile Borgia at Altoona. ATLOONA, Pa., Jan. 23.-Minnie Swanger, aged 13 years, is under arrest charged with poisoning a family. On Tuesday William McGregor, Mrs. Mary McGregor. his mother. Carrie Sill, her grand daugh ter, and Mrs. Martha Johnson, a visitor, were taken suddenly ill while eating dinner at McGregor's house. Mr. McGregor died yesterday, and Carrie Sill is in a serious condition, but the others will probably recover. The child prisoner is alleged to have placed "Rough on Rats" in the coffee por because she had been reprimanded for an act of dishonesty. She bought the poison on Monday at a drug

Captured an Illicit Still.

BROOKLYN, Jan. 23.-An illicit distillery at 190 Meeker avenue was raided yesterday afternoon by secret service agents. The plant was found in full operation, and the surprise was complete. Five men were found at work and placed under arrest. They were Louis Raffiman, who says he is from Bloomingdale, N. J.; Mosce Weiserton, of New York, and Henry Schiffer. Abraham Schiffer and Marcus Sloham, all of whom gave their Mecker avenue address. A still of eighty gallons capacity and another of sixty gallons, with other paraphernalia, a large quantity of mash, and a horse and wagon were seized.

Senator-Elect Wellington on Finance.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 23 - George L. Wellington, who was yesterday elected by the Maryland legislature to succeed Charles H. Gibson in the national senate, said in an interview: "I am in favor of a currency that shall be based on the highest standard of value, a currency in which every dollar shall be as valuable as every other dollar, and redeemable in the highest standard of value. I believe the free coinage of silver would be a great disaster, and the American nation cannot afford to

The St. Louis Holocaust.

St. Louis, Jan. 23.-The bodies of three firemen from which life had been crushed by falling floors were yesterday taken from the ruins of the A. S. Aloe & Co. building, at 415 Broadway: Three others slightly injured were recovered during the night. This makes a total of three killed and six injured, as follows: Killed-John Stanton, aged 35, married, two chil dren; Nimrod Kaykerty, aged 23 years married, three children; James Roddy aged 28, unmarried. The disaster was due to the rottenness of the timbers which held up the floors.

Tried to Wreck a Trestle.

BUTFALO, Jan. 23.—A dozen or more Poles undertook to wreck the Philadelphia and Reading's big trestle at Cheektowaga yesterday by sawing the supports in such a way that the first train of coal would carry down the structure. The police discovered them at work and arrested two men, the others escaping. The prisoners were sentenced to six months' imprisonment. No reason for their act is known beyond pure maliciousness. The trestle is a mile in length.

Governor Griggs' Staff Officers.

TRENTON, Jan 23 .- Governor Griggs ye terday issued commissions to Joseph W. Congdon, of Passaic county, as inspector general, with the title of brigadier general, to succeed William C. Heppenheimer, and to the following as members of his personal staff, with title of colonel: William Barbour, Sheffield Phelps, Henry A. Potter, Anthony R. Kuser and Nathan

Enforcing Sunday Laws.

WILKESBARKE, Pa., Jan. 23.-The Law and Order society, having failed by persussion to induce the cigar dealers of the city to close their places of business on Sunday, yesterday swore out warrants for the arrest of thirteen dealers. They will be given a hearing tomorrow. The cigar men say they will pay the fine and continne to keep open.

An Unconfirmed Ceport.

Washington, Jan. 23 .- At the Brazilian legation today it was said that nothing was known regarding the report from Rio Janeiro, printed in London, that a Brasilian corvette hat sailed for Trinidad to æke possession of that island, which is in lispure between Grein Britain and Brazil.

IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

Senator Wolcott Assails the President's Action in Venezuelan Matters.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 .- The senate sesclon yesterday was marked by notable speeches and notable debates. Late in the afternoon a controversy occurred between Mr. Sherman, Mr. Gorman, Mr. Teller and others, which led to the most spirited financial debate that has occurred since the present session of congress convened. Mr. Sherman spoke at length and with great earnestness, deprecating the thrusting of an "old worn out issue"-the silver question-into the senate at a time when practical legislation was imperative. Mr. Teller and Mr. Gorman answered Mr. Sherman from their respective standpoints, while Mr. Aldrich, Mr. Lindsay, Mr. Gray and others took part in the exciting debate. Speaker Reed came over from the house and was an attentive listener. Mr. Wolcott's speech criticizing the president's attitude on the Venezuela question was the notable event of the early part of the day.

Two important reports were made by the committee on foreign affairs, one strongly presenting the serious condition of affairs in Turkey and urging prompt action by the civilized powers, and an adverse report on Mr. Call's resolution calling for the official dispatches of United States consuls in Cuba.

In the absence of any regular business before the house the session was devoted to the consideration of minor matters and legislation by unanimous consent. The major portion of the day was consumed in the discussion of the senate resolution appropriating \$25,000 for architectural ald in the preparation of plans for the Chicago public building. The resolution was

ENGLAND AND VENEZUELA

The British Said to be Fortifying the Disputed Territory.

CARACA-, Venezuela, Jan. 23.-Michael McTurk, the head magistrate of British Guiana, who has been identified for years with the usurpation of Venezuelan territory, has been relieved of his magisterial daties in order that he may command an expedition charged with fortifying the entire length of the Cuyuni river lying in the disputed territory. This news has caused a great stir bere.

El Liberal, in a leading editorial, calls the attention of the government to the military preparations on the Guiana frontier, which, although London denies it, are actively going forward. On the British island of Trinidad the forts are being repaired and the militia is being drilled in the method of handling the new heavy

In the name of the people of Venezula this government is asked to fortify Amacuro, Cangrejos and Cuyuni, on the frontier, in order to be ready for war if arbitration fails. The moral strength of increasing the military strength would be to unite the country, it is argued, and command the respect of President Crespo's

bitterest enemies. English plan is believed to fortify the disputed territory while the American

port is adverse to Great Britain to hold it

Declined an Appropriation.

commission is investigating, and if its re-

HARRISBURG, Jan. 23 -The state board of agriculture, at its annual meeting yesterday, refused to be legislated out of existence by declining the appropriation of \$1,000 made by the last legislature. Hereafter the members will pay their expenses in attendance on the board's sessions. These officers were elected: President, Governor Hastings: vice presidents, Louis Piollett of Bradford, Samuel Downing of Chester and G. G. Hutchinson of Huntingdon; executive committee, J. A. Herr of Clinton, C. Cooper of Lancaster, Gabriel Hiester of Dauphin, J. J. Thomas of Cambria, G. G. Heyburn of Delaware, Jason Saxton of Montgomery and W. Shanafelt of Clarion; secretary, Thomas J. Exploding Locomotive Kills Two.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 23.—The engine of the New York and St. Louis express, on the Little Miami railroad, exploded one and a half miles west of South Charles

ton and forty miles from Columbus, killing Clarke A. Trimble, engineer, and George Waters, fireman, both of Colum-George Ulam and John Torrence, postal clerks, are badly but not seriously injured. The following passengers were injured: William T. Waltuce, William Spicer, Charles Mayer, Ann H. Ramsey, Mrs. C. E. Bedell, H. D. Delock and Gay and Lily Cochran.

To Govern Official Law Breakers. WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 - Representative Ray, of New York, a member of the judiciary committee, which has been considering the questions raised by the refusal of Compteoller Bowler to pay the sugar bounty claims, yesterday introduced in the house a bill making it unlawful for any executive officer of the government to refuse or neglect to enforce or carry into effect any law of the United States on the grounds of alleged unconstitutionality, or to refuse to pay out or apply any appropriation of money made by the congress.

Burned to Death While Drunk.

SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 23.-Richard Mc-Hugh was burned to death in a house of ill repute in Center street Tuesday night. In her efforts to save the young man Florence Cassidy, an inmate, was also badly burned. McHugh, who was disorderly, kicked over a table with a lamp upon it, and his clothes caught fire. When the fire was extinguished he was dead. McHugh would have attained his majority within two months, and would then have come into possession of a fortune of about \$10,-600, his share of his father's estate.

Urging Real Labor Reform.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 .- Representative Barrett, of Massachusetts, addressed the labor committee of the house yesterday on the resolution adopted by the legislature of Massachusetts urging legislation making uniform the hours of labor throughout the United States. After hearing Mr. Barrett the committee requested him to ask the Massachusetts legislature to formulate a bill that shall incorporate the reforms desired, and be within the legislative powers of congress.

GOMEZ REPORTED ILL

The Cuban Insurgent Commander Said to be Prostrated.

GENERAL PANDO INTERVIEWED.

The Spanish Officer Declares the Insurrection Is Ended So Far as the Province of Santiago de Cuba Is Concerned. Trying to Surround the Insurgents.

HAVANA, Jan. 23.—It is reported here today that Maximo Gomez is suffering from an attack of illness. The columns of General Cornell and Colonel Macon are at Jampica, in Havana province, combining in a movement in pursuit of Gomez. Meantime Generals Aldecoa and Linares have stationed themselves at strategic points, and the Spanish authorities once more indulge the hope that they will bring Gomez to fight a pitched battle or drive him into a corner.

It is asserted here that Gomez feels much trepidation over the critical situation of Maceo in Pinar del Rio. The movements of the insurgents in Matanzas and Santa Clara are attributed here simply to a de-sire to break up the line of the troops there and afford a line of retreat for Gomez and Maceo together.

The insurgents have burned the village of Nacarento, near Placetas. The garrison of the fort succeeded in repelling the enemy. The machine houses on the plantation of San Jose, the cane fields of Rubi Lolas, several houses at Ranchuelo, Santa Clara and the station and three houses in the village of Sabinilla have also been

General Luis Pando, who arrived here with General Prat on Tuesday, said in an interview that he had come to Havana in obedience to the orders of his superiors to act as coadjutor to General Marin in the temporary command of Cuba, pending the arrival here of General Valeriano Weyler. the new captain general of Cuba, when he. General Pando, will be succeeded by General Saurez Valdez. General Pando announced himself to be in favor of concentrating and strengthening his forces in the province of Plnar del Rio, and he hopes to take command of the Spanish troops

there in person when at liberty to do so.
General Pando spoke in the highest terms of the bravery and endurance of the Spanish troops in his command. He says that the raw young soldiers endured hunger and thirst, sickness and fatigue without complaint, and that no troops in the world could have behaved better or have accomplished more under the circum-

General Pando claims that if the insurgents can be driven to fight a pitched battle, the Spainiards will defeat them in short order, even though the enemy may be in larger numbers.

Concerning the advance of the second insurgent army under Jose Maceo and Rabi, General Pando said that this force was trying to convey westward a considerable quantity of arms, ammunition and other supplies intended for the insurgents in this province and Pinar del Rio. But, the general added. Macco and Rabi have been engaged seven times with the Spaniards since they entered the province of Santa Clara, and a considerable portion of the war material, etc., has either been captured or lost en route.

In the general's opinion the insurrection is completely ended so far as the province of Santiago de Cuba is concerned, and he asserts that there is very little activity among the insurgents remaining in the eastern part of the province of Santa Clara.

An Alleged Baseball Deal.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 23.—The Commercial Sazette says that within a few days, uness present plans fail, a baseball deal will be closed which will eclipse anything done in that line for years past. The substance of the article is that President Robinson, of the Cleveland club, has about concluded arrangements with Chris Von Der Ahe by which the St. Louis franchise and club will be sold outright to the Cleveland management, the latter's team transferred to St. Louis, leaving Cleveland out of the league and making room for Detroit to

Died from Starvation.

MAMARONECK, N. Y., Jan. 23.-An autopsy was held last night on the body of Miss Mary E. Hills, who was found dead in her home at Bonny Brook farm, this village, on Tuesday. The antopsy showed that the woman had died of starvation, and not at the hands of a murderer, as has all along been thought. The report of the surgeons who performed the autopsy is to the effect that the stomach contained absolutely nothing, and the organs were in such a condition as to prove that death had been due directly to the want of food.

After the G. A. R. Encampment.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 23.-Adjutant General Robbins, of Commander-in-Chief Walker's stalf, announced that Buffalo, Cleveland and Philadelphia are the three cities that want the G. A. R. encampment if it is taken away from St. Paul. All the members of the executive committee telegraphed to headquarters here that they would stand by Commander-in-Chief Walker if the railroads refused to yield, and would vote to take the encampment away from St. Paul.

Killed by a Premature Blast.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 23.-A premature blast in which one man was killed and eleven others seriously injured occurred yesterday at Bixler's Station, near Newport. The men were engaged in the construction work for the Penn-ylvania Railroad company and were mostly Italians and are known only by numbers. L. Morst, of McVeytown, was killed outright.

A City Marshal Murdered.

WEIMAR, Tex., Jan. 23.-City Marshal York was shot and instantly killed last night by a negro named Jim Harris. The wildest excitement prevails and the citizens are scouring the country for the murderer, who, if captured, will surely be

MENDONCA AND DEPEW. The Brazilian Minister Criticizes State-

ments of the American Orator. WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.-Senor Salvator de Mendonca, minister from Brazil to the United States, in a communication to the

Washington Post with reference to Mr. Depew's speech before the New York Bar association, writes as follows: "Mr. Depew's fears that Venezuela or Brazil would be willing to sell a portion of their territory seems to carry him to the conclusion that a protectorate of the United States of America over its Latin neighbors would become indispensible. From his ignorance of the actual condition of the Latin American nations de extorts the argument that the only device to

keep such nations in good behavior to-

ward the European powers is to keep

them outside of the protectorate of the powerful republic of the north. "If Mr. Chauncey M. Depew were as well acquainted with the Latin American countries as he is with the financial relations between this country and Europe he would know that at present there are no dictators in South America, but presidents, elected in accordance with the constitutional laws of the countries, and that there is as much security for life and property either of citizens or foreigners in Brazil, Chile or Argentine as there is in the United States or England, and that no self respecting Latin American nation would countenance the idea of a protectorate, even if offered to them by their best and

most powerful friend. "The principal article of Mr. Depew's theory is merely an absurdity. When the United States proclaimed, in 1823, the Monroe doctrine, its population amounted to 10,000,000, and at this time this country had been twice victorious in foreign wars. It is not much to assume that a country like Brazil, with a population at present of 18,500,050, and after seventy-four years of constitutional government, never aggressive, but always peaceful and self reliant, would not require a protectorate to maintain its sovereignty and indepen-

Ex-Legislators Indicted for Bribery. COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 23.—Three ex-members of the legislature have been indicted on charges of bribery. True bills were found against ex-Senator John Geyer for soliciting \$400 from W. F. Burdell, of this city, for his influence in securing the pasage of a bill in the interest of the Ohio Savings Bank and Trust company, in 1893, and against ex-Senator Gear for soliciting 125) from D. H. Gaumer, of Zanesville, in the Iden-Gauger election contest in 1892. Three counts were found against ex-Senator L. C. Ohl. as follows: Soliciting \$250 from ex-Senator Iden in the Iden-Gauger election contest, accepting \$250 from Iden in same, offering and promising to give Senator Avery, of Cleveland, \$166 for his influence in holding up in committee two bills in the interest of the Ohio State university. Gear and Geyer are Democrats

and Ohl a Republican. It is said that other indictments are probable. Kentucky's Sensational Contest. FRANKFORT, Jan. 23.—Relations between the supporters of Blackburn and Hunter are more strained than ever. Hunter came within one vote of election yesterday, and his opponents are said to be contemplating filibustering or some means for preventing a decisive result until Wilson's succes-or is elected. Hunter had sixtyeight votes, all the Republican votes except Senator Stege, who held out for Wilson, and was hissed, as were all the Democrats who did not vote for Blackburn. who got fifty-eight votes. Populist Poor cast his vote for Hunter, while Populist

Edrington voted for Blackburn. For Increasing Russia's Navy.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan 23 -The czar has confirmed the budget. The navy for the next seven years is to have a total of 403. 000,000 roubles, 57,000,000 roubles of which is for the current year, increasing half a million roubles annually. Should foreign pavies grow faster it is expected that these credits will be increased. The main object is to reply to the appearance of every new English battleship, especially of the cruiser type, by the production of a Russian one of equal or superior power.

A Deadly Hoisting Cable.

Yot Nes rown, O., Jan. 23 .- By the breaking of the cable used in hoisting the cage by which stock is carried to the cupola of the smelter at the plant of the Obio Steel company Charles Hadmarsh, a Hungarian, was killed and three other men were seriously injured, one of whom. Andy Plasko, will die. This is the third accident, and the second one attended by fatality, caused by the breaking of the same

A Youthful Wife Seeks Divorce.

FAugo, N. D., Jan. 23.—The latest acquisition to the Fargo divorce colony is Mrs Beakman, the 19 year-old daughter of Peter J. Conlin. superintendent of police of New York city. Mrs. Beakman was married at the age of 13 years and the grounds for divorce are said to be nonsupport. The complainant is a very handsome brunette, and every effort has been made to keep her identity a secret.

Brockway to be Tried Next Month. TRENTON, Jan. 23.-The accused counterfeiters, Brockway and his confederates, indicted in the United States court here, were arraigned before Judge Green yesterday afternoon and pleaded not guilty. Trial was set for Feb. 11.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

Peter Relyea, the undertaker who had charge of Abraham Lincoln's funeral, died in New York yesterday, aged 81.

It is believed that the Hyams twin brothers will be permanently released from custody in Toronto tomorrow. At Altoona, Pa., N. C. Buck, aged 18, was accidentally shot in the hand by

Charles Hawksworth, a companion, and died a few hours afterwards. Philip M. Carnes, formerly of Altoons, Pa., was crushed to death between two cars of the Norfolk and Western railroad

at Norfolk, Va. A big shipbuilding company, with a capital stock of \$2,500,000, is talked of for South Boston, Mass. Benjamin Hollingsworth and the Cramps are interested.

## A ROYALIST'S DEATH.

Prince Henry of Battenberg Succumbs to Fever in Africa.

A SON-IN-LAW OF QUEEN VICTORIA

Who Went to the Dark Continent to Study the Art of Warfare in the Bloodless Conflict Against the King of the Ashantees. The Body Homeward Bound.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—News was received at the office of the admiralty yesterday of the death of Prince Henry of Battenberg, who contracted African fever while accompanying the Ashantee expedition in West Africa. He was thought to be recovering, but had a relapse while on board the British cruiser Blonde on the way to Madeira. The cruiser returned to Sierra Leone, west coast of Africa, and the news of the prince's death was cabled from there. At Sierre Leone the body was embalmed, and the Blonde started at onc. for England.

The prince, it appears, was greatly upset at the speedy death of his friend, Major Ferguson, who was attacked with

fever while out

walking with the

prince. Thelatter,

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should be immediately conveyed back to Prohsu. When the prince reached there his condition was desperate, and the doctors almost despaired of being able to

get him back to the coast. Prince Henry, however, rallied slightly before reaching Cape Coast Castle. Once there, although sick unto death, the prince did everything possible to prevail upon his medical attendants and the commanding officers to allow him to remain until the news reached Cape Coast of the entry of the British into Coomassie. But his condition was so desperate that all his appeals were in vain, and he was finally induced, much against his will, to consent to embark on board the Blonde for the

Island of Madeira. This, it now appears, was on Friday last. The prince was in a very weak condition when he went on board the cruiser, but the cooler sea air had an invigorating effect upon him, and he again rallied. In fact, on Saturday he became quite cheerful and hopes were entertained of his recovery. On Sunday, however, there was a decided change for the worse. The prince grew weaker until he expired on Monday even! ing, it is now announced, at 8:40 p. m.

While Prince Henry was unpopul the whole, with the people, principally because he was a poor German prince, and therefore considered unworthy of the hand of a princess of the royal house of England, he was well liked by all those who had the pieasur of knowing him personally. He was a great favorite with the queen.

Previous to Prince Henry's departure for Ashantee considerable ridicule appeared in the English newspapers over the alleged preparations being made for his departure for the "pienic," as the expedition to Coomassie was called, and as it turned out to be. These reports were wholly untrue, however, as the prince embarked like any other officer on an ordinary troop ship.

He ranked as colonel of an Isla of Wight volunteer regiment, and was attached to the expedition in a special capacity, although his rank would have entitled him to assume the position of second in command. But, of course, this would never have been tolerated by the press, to say nothing of the war office authorities, and so the unfortunate prince went to the west coast of Africa, smarting under a storm of ridicule and abuse, probably with the object of attempting to show those who have made a practice of calumniating him from the outset that he was not a drawing room soldier, and that he was not deficient in courage.

The period of mourning by the court for the death of Prince Henry of Battenberg has been fixed at six weeks.

Prince Henry was the third son of Prince Alexander of Battenberg, uncle of Ludwig IV, grand duke of Hosse. He married the Princess Beatrice, youngest daughter of Queen Victoria, in 1885. They have four children. He was born on Oct. 5, 1858, and occupied the complimentary posts of governor of the Isle of Wight and of Carisbrook Castle. Until he volunteered for the Ashantee expedition he had taken no part in public affairs. If he had any special abilities he never had any opportunity of displaying them.

Was Cutting a Dualin Cap.

Mahanov Cuty, Pa., Jan. 23 -Anthony Frieler, aged to years, while clearing away some rubbage from around his home, found a dualin cap, and taking out his knife he began cutting out its contents. While thus engaged the cap exploded, blowing off three fingers of his right hand and otherwise disfiguring it. Fragments of the cap struck him in the eyes, and it is feared he will become blind.

The Silverites Conference.

WASHINGTON, Jan 23.-About a hundred silver men were present at vesterday's conference held at Willard's Hall under the auspices of the American Bimerallic League, which adjourned until today, General A. J. Warner presided A committee on resolutions was appointed by the chairman and another to arrange for a national convention

Dr. Jameson Bound for England. Di Ruan, Natal, Jan 23.-Dr. Jameson and his officers from Pretoria arrived hers on a train at daybreak on Monday, and were forthwith escorted on board the transport Victoria, which sailed for Eng-

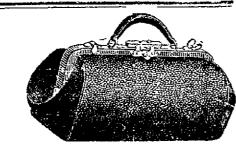
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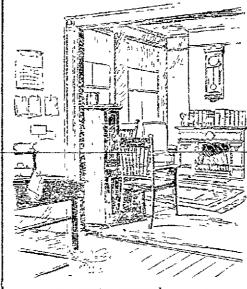
#### A BUSINESS WOMAN.

MISS HELEN CULVER IS ENTERPRIS-ING AND CHARITABLE.

The Romantic Story of How She Helped Churles J. Hall to Amass a Fortune and Then Inherited His Riches- Her Donation to Chicago University.

A weman who can give away \$1,000, 000 and do it with the caba assurance that she will still be certain of a new bonnet next Easter is an interesting person. Miss Helen Culver of Chicago is such a woman. It was to the Chicago university that she recently made this generous gift, and she has about \$5,-000,000 left to keep the wolf from the

The story of how Miss Culver came to be so rich is rather a romantic one. The big fortune of which she is now solo mistress was willed to her all in a lump by her consin, Charles J. Hull, who died about seven years ago. When Mr. Hull first went to Chicago he earned a living by clerking in a hardware store, but soon saved enough to open a general merchandise store of his own. He was twice left almost penniless by fire and twice built again his fortune. Then a panic came and left him ruined. He tried medicine and then law, but it was not until he entered the real estate business that he met with any great suc-



MISS HELEN CULVER'S OFFICE.

cess. With the money he made as a lawyer he purchased property on the West Side in Chicago, and the rise in values made him more than a millionaire.

Much of his success was due to the efforts of the keen witted woman who kept his books and took charge of his office. This was Miss Culver. When Mr. Hull's wife died, she expressed a wish that Miss Culver, whom she had known from childhood, should take charge of her growing children. So Miss Culver became housekeeper as well as bookkeeper and for nearly 30 years devoted all her time and energy to Mr. Hull, his family and his fortune. Both children eventually died, but the fortune kept on

Mr. Hull was a man who had practical ideas on philanthropy. For years he kept a cellar full of coal that poor people were welcome to help themselves to. He built small, comfortable cottages and sold them to workingmen on easy terms. He spent much of his time and great deal of money in looking out for the needy. Some of his ideas were rather eccentric, but the goodness of his heart was never in doubt.

In the course of time the business of looking after the vast estate was gradnally assumed almost entirely by Miss Culver. The property consisted largely of tenement houses on the West Side in Chicago and of houses in other cities.

Miss Culver looked after the rents, the repairs and a thousand and one details. She was also interested in Mr. Hull's philanthropic work and knew his plans thoroughly. Eight years before he died Mr. Hull made a will leaving all his property to Miss Culver.

When the will was read, there were four disappointed nephews. An attempt was made to break the will, but it failed, and so Miss Culver, who had begun as a housekeeper, inherited the millions For years she lived very quietly, going down to her dingy real estate office as regularly as any of her clerks and trans acting business that many men would be incapable of conducting.

The office in which this millionaire business woman spends so much of her time gives an idea of the practical way in which she lives and works. It is on the second floor of a three story building on a busy street. There she occupies three rooms. The office furniture is severely plain. Miss Culver does not go in for mahogany desks, Turkish rugs, silver inkstands, fancy penwipers and leather covered sofus.

There is not even a roll top desk. She uses a plain, convenient desk, with a box of pigeouboles on either side. There are three straight backed chairs and a row of lawbooks on a shelf above the fireplace. An old fashioned clock is the only wall decoration.

Miss Culver herself is of medium height, plump and rather matronly looking. Her hair is white, for she is now nearly 60 years of age, but, except for her hair, does not look it by 20 years. There is nothing about her that suggests the tranky old maid. In fact, she is not at all cranky. She spends five or six hours a day in her office, and the rest of her time is taken up with the various mission work and other philanthropic schemes which she is interested in,

She is practically unknown to the swell society people of Chicago. At her comfortable but unpretentious home in a quiet quarter of the West Side no social functions are ever given. She has many friends, however, who are doing the same work among the poor that she is, and her time is fully occupied.

Miss Culver's \$1,000,000 gift is to be used in founding a school of biology. Its generous proportions will allow of extended research into the science of living, and observation stations where the study of bacteria and germ fife can be watched will be instituted.

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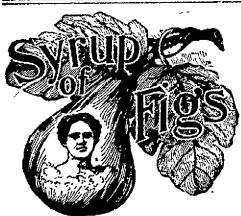
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Ozone is new practically applied for several purposes. Experiments with it have shown that it will artificially age brandy, whisky, sweet and hard wines and liquers. Ozone will also improve coffee by rendering harmless oily beans. The aroma of tebacco is also considerably improved by the application of ozone. The latest application of it is for rapid seasoning of wood for sounding boards of musical instruments, which for the purpose is left in a hern-etically closed, heated room from 12 to 24 hours, ozenified air being freely introduced into the room. It seems that this process will harden the wood, increase its resistance against the influence of temperature and moisture and give it considerably more acoustic or resounding quality.

Another recent application of ozonified air is that of the thickening of linseed oil for the manufacture of linoleum, which by the old process took several months. By the liberal use of ozone inseed oil is now thickened to the required constituey within a few days. Most remarkable, however, is the advantage of employing ozone for bleaching linen, since the time employed is less than one-third of the bleaching process by smilight, not considering that this latter is dependent both upon the season and the weather. The ozone procesatof bleaching renders the work absolutedy independent of outside influences. Ozoné has also been found very valuable in chemical and technical processes, particularly in the production of pure derivatives of starch, for instance, soluble starch, dextrin, crystal gum, etc. Here the czone is instrumental in tak ing away all the matter which causes the dark color, bad cdor and taste.-Philadelphia Record.

#### Estel Kleptomaniacs.

I was talking to a hotel clerk, and he said: "Talk about kleptomaniaes at dry goods stores, they are scarcely a circumstance to those at a first class hotel. People who cheerfully pay \$5 a day for board will steal a 10 cent cake of scap and put themselves to a great deal of trouble to do it. But the principal things guestr take are towels, and the collection of those arricles has become a regular fud. They are taken as souvenirs of the hotel, and a lady who has traveled a great deal will have a whole trunkful with the names of the botels on them. This is conclusive proof that they have stopped at those houses, and a person whose towels bear the marks of hotels throughout the civilized world is to be envied as postessing a most interesting collection of mementos. A few papkins are taken and occasionally spoons. Door keys and checks used to disappear in great numbers, but none of these equal- towels in the eyes of collectors of botel souvenirs."-Washington

#### A Blighted Life.

"Farewell forever, then," cried the weeping girl "We part, but the sorrow of this shall a-army young life for aye." In a paroxy-m of grief uncontrollable she threw herself upon the couch as the reet door slammed slint behind the CASINO THEATRE. baggard young man who had torn himself from her presence. Then hastily self from her presence. Then hastily arising she brushed away the traces of tears and went down to match that lovely piece of heliotroj e .- New York Her-

#### Faith.

She-And you told me that it would ever be your aim to make my life naught but one of Lappaness. And to think that [believed you!

He-That - nothing. I believed it at the time myself -Indianapolis Journal.

Twenty-five years of practical experience from pulling weeds, for E P. Roe, to condusting a large and constantly increasing nursery bu iness is the record of T J. Dwyer, proprietor of the Orange County Nurseries, box 6. Cornwall, N. Y. His handsome 1896 catalogue will be mailed free to all those who address him as above. It offers the fruit to plant for profit at less than one half the price asked by agents.

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DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S

take it morning, noon and night, and it will cure you. I took the medicine as directed, but had no confidence in a cure, as my case had been tried by so many. After using it a week I began to feel better, and in a short while after that I was entirely cured. That terrible distress, everything I ate breaking up sour in my throat, had all gone and I have not had a moment's discomfort since. To-day there isn't a healthier man and my appetite is grand,"

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Correspondence Augus and Mercury. There will be a match and shingle so jable, where you all will want to go; We want to make it notable

It is at the home of Charles Roe. The church has got some small debts, That are pressing rather tight;

We want to be their master, And wipe them out that night, There will be good spraking and singing, Everybody welcome that will go, Only 25 cents for supper;

That is cheap enough, you know, All who like to see good matches, Will remember the night of course,

Thursday, January the 20th. And a good place to tie your horse

#### NEW HAMPTON.

Gathering Ice-Personal Notes Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

-Farmers are very busy working in ice. Mr. W. H. Strong was the first to finish filling his ice house. Theice is very fine but only about eight inches thick,

-Miss Lily King, of Monroe, spent Saturday with friends in this vicin-

-Mrs. C. Stage entertained a few

friends, Friday evening, at her home oear this village.

#### \$100 Reward \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that-is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, is taken internelly, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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#### A Note From the Editor.

The editor of a leading paper writes: "I' you had seen my wife last June and were to see her to-day you would not believe she was the same woman. Then she was broken down by nervous debility and suffered terribly from constipation and sick headache. Bacon's Celery King for the nerves made her a well woman in one month." John J. Chambers will give you a free sample package of this great herbal remedy.

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HAMMOND IN PERIL.

Urgent Telegrams from Friends of the American Prisoner in the Transvaal. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.-John Hays Hammond, the American engineer, is evidently in serious danger in the Transvaal. Urgent caplegrams were received here last night by friends. The cablegrams are dated New Castle, Natal, Jan. 22. As New Castle is a long distance from the Transvaal, it is thought they were smuggled through, and therefore better represent the situation than any previously re-

ceived here. The messages are signed by J. J. Curtis, who is a son of George T. Curtis, the grandson of J. Storrey, once justice of the supreme court of the United States, and a nephew of W. W. Storrey, the sculptor. A message addressed to Harry Creswell. city and county attorney, is as follows:

"Exert your influence to help Ham mond. He is confined with sixty of us in the Pretoria prison. He has long been taken as one of the ringleaders, and unless some radical measures are taken by our government he will be m: to suffer for the sins of others, for which he is in no way responsible."

Another message says: "I earnestly beg you to use your influence to protect Hammond from the consequences of a mistake which has been made by others in this unfortunate business. He is not guilty, has been wrongfully confined in jail for the past ten days, and the Transvaal government refuse to admit him to bail."

#### On Trial for His Life.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, Pa., Jan. 23.—Frank Wilson, of Lincoln, Neb., charged with the murder of Henry Bonnecka, a wealthy miser of Altoona, was put on trial in the Blair county court yesterday. The murder was committed in Mr. Bonnecka's home on the night of April 6, 1895, the victim being strangled with a handkerchief. The object was robbery, and it is believed the murderer obtained consider able booty. It is alleged Wilson confessed the crime to three detectives in New York who had been traveling as companion crooks! with him in that they: Wilson is the chief of a gang of thieves who have been infesting this country for years, and to whom fully a score of crimes can be traced. Two of his pals are also in jail for murder.

#### Dr. Jameson's Bravery.

LONDON Jan 23 -A Capetown dispatch to The Times says that the trial of the political prisoners at Pretoria has been fixed for April 21, and their preliminary examination is to be held within a few days. The Times' correspondent had an interview with General Joubert, commanderin-chief of the Boer forces, in which he said: "I think there is only one braver man than Dr. Jameson, and he is the devil. I would never have had the courage to break into another man's house as he did In Jameson a parbarran, or did be think us barbarians?

An Aged Couple Asphyriated. PHILADLLPHIA, Jan. 23 —Ambrose West, a well known hosiery manufacturer of Germantown and his wife met an untimely end yesterday morning, when they were sufficented in bed by coal gas found they were cold in death, having expired, it is supposed, shortly after mid-night. Mr. West was 71 years old, and his wife about two years older.

#### Decided Against the Veteran.

TOPEKA, Jan. 23.-Judge Randolph, of the district court, handed down a decision yesterday which renders the state law in operative that compels city councils to give preterences to old soldiers in appointments, other things being equal. judge held that a rejected old soldier is not entitled to an injunction to oust his successful opponent.

#### An Evewitness.

The desire to tell a good story has been known to tempt an ordinarily truthful narrator to enlarge upon the facts. Mrs. Benson enjoyed startling her hearers and had acquired the reputation of "clinching" her point effectively. When she returned from the infirmary, where she had undergone a difficult optical operation, she had many things of interest to relate, and in the course of her description she said "Why, it was wonderful! They took

both my eyeballs out!" Oh. Mrs. Benson, they couldn't have done that " came in a chorus of remon-

"But they did," she averred. "They took them out and put them on the table. I saw them? —Youth's Companion.

## He Sent Flowers.

"You know what enemies Wilson and Watson were: Well, when Watson died, old Wilson sent a beautiful floral 'gates

ajar'' "I'm glad to hear it. I hate to think a man could not forgive -

"Wait till I get through. Behind the gates was astairway--leading downward." —Indianapelis Journal

#### Her Rest Endeavors.

"I may not be able to make my children behave as they should," said the sorely trad mother of the large family, "but I am going to do my proffic-t!"

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1st Estimate On all the work and material, except for heating, ventilating and plumbing.

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A certified check for \$2,000, payable to the order of the freasured of the city of Middletown, N.Y., must accompany each bid on the First ESTIWATE, and a similar certified check for \$500 must accompany each bid on the SDCOND ESTIWATE. Such checks to be forfeited to the city of Middletown if the successful hidder does not eater into the controc, with acceptable surelies, as required by the undersigned.

All estimates must be delivered to HENRY W Wiggins. President of the Board of Education at his filter, 33 North street, on or before 8 page of the tion at his citice, 3J North street, on or becore p. m. of the

#### 27TH OF JANUARY, 1896.

Pians and specifications may be examined at the office of the Sourd of Education on application to the President The committee reserves the right to reject any

and all bids
(Signed) HENRY W W GGINS,
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HURSDAY, JAN 23, 1896

Speaker Reed has given the Chaplain of the House of Representatives a quiet tip that a little less of war and more of the spirit of the peace in his prayers will make them more acceptable to him and probably also to the Prince of Peace.

Gov Morton in his economy message faled to mention one reason why it behooves Republican legislators to go sl w in the matter of appropriations. It will not be possible to explain an increased tax rate, this year, by asserting that it is made necessary by deferred appropriations made by a Democratic legislature.

Five prominent Republicans have announced themselves as candidates for Governor: Speaker Hamilton Fish, Controller James A. Roberts, Gen. E. A. McAlpin, Lieut. Gov Saxton and Representative Sereno E. Payne, Congressman Odell, of this district, who, as is well known, has his eyes turned longingly toward the gubernatorial chair is playing a waiting game. If his lord and master Platt declares in favor of any candidate he will submit to the boss' will, but if it is a free-for-all race be will enter the lists and his friends say he will be in at the finish.

No legislation of recent years has been so generally condemned by those best qualified to judge of its merits as the elcoholic and narcotic instruction law passed by the last Legislature. The State Superinterdent of Public Instruction and the leading educators of the State unite in declaring the law unwise and unnece sary and as giving undue prominence to a topic to which sufficient attention was already given. There is every reason for believing that the law will be materially modified by the present Legislature and the interests of education will surely not suffer if this measure, slready discredited before the public and which the newspapers are making the target of well merited ridicule, is wiped entirely from the statute books.

#### OBITUARY.

Samuel Shelley

From Our Deckertown Correspondent Early Tuesday morning, the death of Samuel Shelley was announced. He was born near Deckertown and always made his home in and near this place. He is survived by a wife. two sisters and a brother. Tae funeral was held in the Baptist Church, at 2.30 this (Thursday) after-

#### Mrs Mary Y Decker

Mrs. Mary Y. Decker, wi'e of Col. Frederick Decker, died at her home | comb and trush. in Fustertown, Monday, aged 63 years. She was a sister of the late Robert Young, of Montgomery. She is survived by her husband, two sons and four daughters.

#### Samuel C Howell.

Mr. Samuel O. Howell, one of the oldest and most highly esteemed residents of the town of Walikill, died at his home at Howells Depot at 4 o'clock this morning, of general debili'y. He had been failing for the past two years and a half, but had been confined to his bed only about three weeks.

He was the only son of Wm A. and Eizabeth Calander Howell, and was born in the town of Wallkill May 21, 1807, and was therefore in his 80 h

When a young man he learned the carpenter trade, and worked in this city-then a mere hamlet. In 1834 he was married to Viss Sallie Jane, daughter of Joseph Beakes, who survives him.

Nine children, six sons and three daughters were the fruit of this unlon, seven of whom are living. These are Albert J. and Joseph. of Mount Hope, Henry M., under Sheriff of Orange County, now residing at Newburgh, James T., of Jersey City, Sid ney, residing in Ohio, Annie E., wite of Herbert Dolson, of Norwich, and Frances E, at home. A daughter, Mary L., died at the age of 6 years, and William Harrison, who was a member of the Orange Blossoms, was killed in the battle of Spottsyl vania Court House.

At the time of his marriage Mr. Howell purchased a small form in Mourt Hope, and added to it until he owned over 400 acres in that town and Walikill. When the Erie railroad was put through, he built a depot and established the village to which he gave his name. He was the first railroad agent and postmueter at the place, although the work was done by deputels, he devoting his time to his large farm.

He was a liberal contributor to the church at Howells, and was foremost in any enterprise calculated to benefit the people. He took a prominent part in the management of local affairs, and served his town as Asses. sor for a number of years.

The funeral will be held at his late residence at 11 a. m., on Saturday. Interment in family plot in the Howells Cemetery.

OHIO'S LEGISLATIVE SCANDAL.

Indiciments in the Sheriff's Hands Against Other Accused Legislators-Investigating Other Charges.

BY UNITED PRESS. COLUMBIS, O , Jan. 23.—Besides the indictments for bribery against several members of the Lagislature, found yesterday, the State's attorney intimates that there are other mat ters before the jury, involving members of the Legislature, yet to be investigated. It is suspected that the Sheriff has other indictments in his hands for members of the General Assembly, which he will hold back until the accused can be apprehend-

A RUSS'A-TURKISH ALLIANCE.

An Officusive and Defensive Alliance Against Other European Powers. BY UNITED PRESS.

London, Jan. 23 -A dispatch from Constantinople to the Pall Mall Gazette says: "An offensive and defensive alliance has been concluded between Russia and Turkey. It has been signed here and its ratification has been exchanged at St. Peters burg. The French Ambassadar to Turkey had an audience with the Sultan on the 21st, lasting two hours. This tends to show that France, in all probability, is a member of the new alliance."

HEAVY SLEET STORM IN THE WEST Telegraphic Communication With Chicage and Other Folias Interrupted. BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.-Telegraphic communication with Chicago and elsewhere in the West is interrupted by a heavy sieet storm in the vicinity of Chicago.

FORT WAYNE, Jan. 23.-A sleet storm has coa ted southern Indiana with ice. All the wires are crippled and train service is delayed. Several residents of this city have fallen and broken limbs.

CHICAGO, Jan. 23-The rain and sleet continues. The storm appears to ex end over Illinois, Michigan, Eastern Wisconsin and Northern and Southe n Indiana. The ice is three inches thick on some of the railroad tracks.

TO STOP THE FLYING SQUADRON-From the Albany Argus

As a committee on the part of the Sanate we nominata Senators Chandier, Lo'ge and Poffer and on part of the House, Mr. Livingston, of Georgia, to stop the flying equadron before she makes another league. If they can't blow her back to England the case is desperate indeed.

Aver's Hair Vigor is certainly a remarkable preparation and nothing like it has ever been produced. No matter how wiry and unmanageable the hair may be, under the influence of this incomparable dressing, it becomes soft, silky, and pliable to the

"I was troub'e! with that dreadful disease called dropsy; swollen from head to foot. Burdock Blood Bitters has completely cured me. It is a mest wonderful medicine," Joseph Herick, Linwood, Ont.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD -The section gangs on the Susquehacns have been reduced to two men and foreman per gang during the winter mon hs.

## It is Known By Its Cures

It is not what we say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story of its merit.

The thousands of people whom it has raised from disease and despair to happiness and health, are the strongest and best advertisements Hood's Sarsaparilla bra. No other preparation in existence has such a record of wonderful cures.

This is why Hood's Sarsaparilla has the largest sale, and requires for its production the largest laboratory in the world. Now if you need a good medicine, why not try that which has done others so

#### much good. Remember Hood's Sarsaparilla Is the Only True Blood Purifier

Prominently in the public eye.\$1; six for \$5 Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Pills Hood's Sarsaparilla. 254

The market is full of cough mixtures, but one trouble with most of them is that when they do a little good the patient has to take so much that he gets to loath the taste. The Pineola Balsam is superior to other cough remedies because it is agreeable to the palate and its good effects are immediate. In a few days an ordinary cough is gone altogether Brenchitis and asthma are more stubborn, but they too are cured by Ely's Pineola Balsan. A remedy worth trying. Twenty-five cents is



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In the form of washes, solutions, etc., for distressing inflammations, irritations, and weaknesses of the mucous membrane, it has proved most grateful.

Curicuna Soar appeals to the refined and cultivated everywhere, as the most effective skin purifying and beautifying soap, as well as parest and sweetest for toilet and bath.

Fold throughout the world. British depot: F NEW-BERL & SONN, 1, King Edwardset, I ondon FOTTED DRUG & CHEM CORP. Sole Props. Boston U. S. A. Playing Second Fiddle,

The Times was very non-committal in its remarks on the fall election bill, Tuesday night. Some one seems, however, to have given it the tip to get in line, for yesterday it echoed the specious pleas for the measure made in the Press of the night before To see the Times playing second fildle to the hated Fress is one of the things calculated to make even "Redny" Force's team of venerable crowbaits smile.

#### A BRAKEMAN'S MISHAP.

Sec. Ostrom Loses Three Fingers and Sustains Other Injuries.

Mr. George Ostrom, of 320 North street, a beakeman on the Erie road, met with quite a serious accident at Ramapo as 1 e'clock, this morning.

He attempted to braid bis train at the crossing, but slipped and fell with three fingers of his left hand on the rail and the wheels passed over them crushing them badly. At the same time the journal bolt struck him on the shoulder and knocked him upon on his bead on the crushed stone, which cut three gashes in his

Mr Ostrom was sent to his home, in this city, and Dr. Purdy dressed his wounds. He will lose a portion of each of the crushed fingers.

#### New Millinery Store.

The Misses McLeav, of Paterson, have leased the store now occupied by Dayton & Son, corner of North and King streets, and will open a millinery store, Feb. 1st. Mr. Dayton will close out his stock at once.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Suilding, 16 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds. Grain and Provisions bought and sold for each or carried on margin. NEW YORK, Jac 23 '96

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Anyone who suffers from that terrible plague, Itching Piles, will appreciate the immediate relief and permanent cure that comes through the use of Doan's Cintment, It never fais.

Thousands of the victims of consumption owe their death to the simple neglect of a cold. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures cough- and colds, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles.

## MARRIED.

DORR-WHITE--At Ridgebury, Jan 22d, '96, by Rev. O. P. Crandal, William W Dorr and Fellie M. White, both of Port Jervis.

#### DIED.

HOWELL-At Howells, Van 23d. 26, of general debility, Samuel O Howell, aged elgoty-

eight years, eight months Funeral services will be held Saturday morn-ing, at eleven o'clock, at his late residence Interment in family plot. Howells Cemetery GREEN-Near Warwick, Jan 21st, 93, 94 Ham Green, aged seventy-two years, five months Fune al at his late residence. Thursday, at

O. ROCKALELLOW & BRO., Undertakers and Embalmers, 99 North street. Lady assistant. Telephone No 3. dlyMchil.

NAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Em balmers, corner West Main and James Sts. Lady assistant. Telephone Nos. 10 and 22.

DOUGHERTY & RILLLY, Undertakers and Embaimers, 50 ( citage street, Middletown Telephone 42-night and day

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The grand opportunity we are offering is appreciated. Our sales, last week, show that the pub ic are taking adv niage of the low prices, We are bound to close out our heavy goods-Uleters, Overcoats. Spirs and Extra Pantal ons.

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CLOAKS, CAPES,

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Come in and we will show you bargains in every depart-

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The best one is the fact that we sell for one do lar what usually costs one dollar and a half.

Our centre holiday counter inow a Remnant Counter. Abou one thou-and remnants on it marked to sell far below cost.

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James own Dress Go de \$26. per diess, worth \$3.75.

Jamestown, silk and wool, \$2.75 per dress, worth \$4.50.

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Chenil'e Table Covers 69c.

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Having bought the Overcoats, Ulsters and the choice Suits at chattle mortgage sale of A. J. Cahill's stock, we have them now on sale at less than the wholesale cost. Note a few of the bargains:

Our Cabill's Men's Overcoats. \$5 00 \$9 00 Boys' Overcoats. 2 50 4 00 7 00 12 00 Men's Fine Dress 13 00 18 00 Suits ..... 6 50 10 00 Men's Ulsters... 6 50 12 00 8 60 13 00

8 50 15 00 9 50 15 0 In connection with this sale, we have reduced the price on our large stock, giving you a large variety to select from.

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e'book than to continue keing m mey from an old one. Let us show you our sicck of these goods. Prices will please

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All bills against the C. E Crawford Furniture Co., or any member of the firm, will be paid on presentation.

A settlement is requested from all indebted to us, as the limitation of our partnership expires Feb. 1st.

By the way, you can buy Furniture, Carpets or Crockery almost at your own price this month. FACT.

# G. E. GRAWFORD FURNITURE GO.

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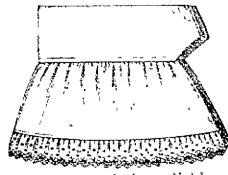
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This beautiful garment at

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Notice our window display of Muslin Underwear. Only a few styles there, but if you will allow us to show you our com. plete line, we think we can please you with every garment. These goods are all well made, full length and good width. No trash.



#### ARGUS. THE

THURSDAY, JAN. 23, 1896.

#### WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESE. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jac. 23 -Rein or snow, to night and Friday; warmer, to-night, southeasterly winds.

### THE TEMPERATURE

The following was the registry of the ther mometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day: 7 a, m., 220; 12 m., 320; 2 p. m. 340.

#### OPEN EVENINGS.

THE EUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ABGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL

#### AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

-Jan. 23-Phogix Engine Co. ball, at Assembly Booms.
-Jan 27-Field's Minetrels, at Casino.
-Feb 3-Soto Sunutaro, J. panese wonder worker, for the Y. M. O. A

werker, for the 1. M. C. A

— feb 17-231 annual ball McQaoid Engine
Co., at Casino.

— Fab. 18 Masque: ade ball of Pangbeaughnaughsh, que Tribe of hed Men, at the Arsembly hooms.

— feb. 19-A niv rsary of Lancelot Lodge
K. ct P., in Castle Hall.

-March 2-Miss Carrie Louise Ray, for the Y. M. C. A.

### WEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

-Offices in Exchange Building to let. -H meekeeping goods cheap at 22 North Et See Hamilton's 3 and 7 cant counters.

Big bargains in clot ing. Saturony, at
Chas Wolf a Sons See adv. on second page
—Annual charing sale of saces at Clas. B.
Hanford's -Ladies' muelin underwear cheap at Weller & Damerest's. -Universalist services, in Kearing Hall, Eunda;

#### LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

-Pi ce .:x ball, to-night.

-The village of Sidney is about to spend \$8,000 in building a town ball. -Field's minetrels at the Casino, nex Mouday night.

-Dun's fail to see Al Field's minstrels at the Casino, next Monday night.

-Bargains for everybody at Chas. Wolff & Bons. Sale opens Saturday. 16841331

-Miss Mamie Wisner is entertaining a number of her lady friends at hearts, this at ernoon.

-Prœnx Engine Company's annual ball takes place at the Assembly

Rooms, to-night. -Prices for cows in Ostego county have sharply advanced of late. Good freeh milkers now bring \$35 and \$40, while those coming in in the spring are worth \$29 and \$25 and not many

can be picked up at these prices. -Downsville boasts that its reservoir is fieled to the brim. It is about the only place in the State that has water enough for present and pros pective needs.

-Assemblyman Alida, of Ohenango county, has introduced a bill appropriating \$100,000 for the soldiers' home at Oxford.

-Kingston's firemen are already prepared for the Tri County convention and parade which will be held in that city in June.

effects It is pleasantly flavored. The residence of Floyd Pelton, at 50 Hammond street, Port Jervis, was badly damaged by fire, last

> -Twenty attendants at the Hudson River Hospital have passed the examination and are now rated as

trained nurses. -O! the \$121,339 35 of collateral inheritance tax collected in New Jersey, last year, Sussex county paid \$1.348 67. This was collected from four estates, \$1,030 07 from the estate

of Daniel Dalrymple. tickets to the Joseph Pizzarello piano recital will be \$1 icstead of \$1.50, as erroneously stated in yesterday's paper by the projector of the con-

-Mr. H. L. Adams, manager of the Adams Express Company in this city, is distributing a book published that company, giving a list of all the offices in the United States, Canada and Mexico for which the com-

pany takes business. - When Norwich gets its new steamer and hook and ladder truck it is proposed to put the chief engineer under salary and have him devote his whole time to fire depart-

ment matters. -Additional local matter will be found on taird page.

-Wait and get a bir bargain at Chas. Wolff & Sons, at their special sale Saturday moreing. 1tw41d35

#### PERSONAL

-Mr. Charles Horton was able to be upon the streets again to-day.

-Miss Charlotte Towner, of Monticello, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Fred W. Towner.

-Mr. Peter McCune, of Wuttsboro, was calling upon friends in town, to-

-Mrs. James J. Shotwell, of Layton, N. J, who has been making a three weeks' visit with her son-inlaw, Ames Struble, in this city, returned home, yesterday.

-Ralph Wakemant of Middletown. has been secured by T. K. Walker, of the Downs House, as bartender for that establishment, and has already entered upon his duties .-Downsville News.

-Mesers. H. C. Farmer and Fred C. Herrick went to New York, this afternoon. Their plan was to take in the Sporting Durchess, to night. the bicycle show, to-morrow, and the Cafe de Mort, to-morrow night.

-Mr. and Mrs. Orville Belding, of Claremont, Va., who have been visiting in his locality for several months,

started for their southern home, this morning, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Belding, of this city, who expect to be absent about a

-Toe many friends of Mr. John Babcock, of Walton, a member of the contracting firm of Babcock, Lary & Co., and formerly roadmaster of the Erie and also of the O. and W., will regret to learn that he is lying very low and is not expected to recover. He is suffering from cancer of the stomach.

NOT WANTED BY THE PEOPLE.

The accret Preparation of the Pali Election Scheme a Proof of Its In

The Press, when it declares that nine out of every ten citizens favor the change from spring to fail elections, forgets that, a year ago, when a hearing was given on the same measure, not a citizen had a word to say in favor of it, but that all who applicat the hearing before the Mayor condemned the scheme as against public policy, and calculated to fasten on cur cit; the evils that have brought shame on so many municipalities and that have cost taxpayers untold sums.

Nothing has occurred since that hearing that is calculated to change public sentiment. There has been no discussion of the autject, and the very manner in which the bill that was sent to Aibany was prepared, is the best possible evidence that the projectors and beneficiaries of the scheme knew that it would not meet with popular approval. Public spirit ed citizens and right-minded city officiale, who are working unselfishly for the best interests of the people, do not plot in secret and skulk about the streets at midnight in order to hold dark lantern conclaves.

MR AND MRS, VANAMEE'S DEPARTURE

Though New Residents of tewburgh Mr. Vanamee Still Retains His Professional Interests Here and Will Spend Much fime Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Vanamee are now ectded in their home in Newburgh and their children, who have been stopping for a 'ew days with friends in this city, were taken to Newburge, this afternoon, by Mrs. Vanamaa.

The removal of Mr. and Mrs. Vanamee from this city is universally regretted, for it leaves a void in the social world, in which they have both been prominent, which will not easi ly be filled. Their departure is a distinct less to Middletown's social

Although by changing his place of residence to Newburgh, Mr. Vanamee sunders the social ties that bound him to this city, it should be understood that he still retains his professional interests here, and expects to spend much of his time at the offices of Vanamee, Watts & Vail and at his study, which he reserved when he sold his residence on Cottage atreet.

#### THE AMBULANCE FUNDmembers of Excelsion H, and L Co. Contribute \$25

The ambulance fund was the subject fer discussion among several members of I xpelsior Hook and Ladder Company, a few nights ago, and this morning, two of the parry started out with a subscription paper and in two hours raised over \$25 among the members of the company. The -The price of the single admission list will be kept open until Saturday. and every member of the company who has not been seen may leave subscriptions with Mr. Chas. Worff Jr., or at the Argus office.

#### Some of the Fork" for the Mayor.

When the constitution provided that the Mayor of a city should give a public hearing on all bills affecting that city, it did not contemplate that the Mayor would commit himseif to a measure in advance by attending secret midnight caucuses, at which proposed legislation was discussed and its form agreed upon. Nor is it likely that the framers of the constitution expected that a Mayor would go through the farce of siting in judgment on legislation that prolongs his own official term. The constitution makers would not intentionally have put a Mayor in the position of the jurymen who acquitted the pig-stealer because they all had had some of the pork.

Read Ayer's Almanac, which your druggist will gladly hard you, and note the wonderful cures of rheumatism, catarrh, scrofula, dyspepsia, eczems, debility, humors and sores. by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilia, the only Sarsaparina admitted at the World'a Fair.

Don't forget the sale of clothing. Saturday morning, at Chas. Wolff & Sons, 43 Jam s street. The A. J. Cahill stack will be sold for 50 cents on 1tw41135

Coughing irritates the delicate ory gans and aggravates the disease. Instead of wairing, try One Minute Cough Cure. It belos at once, making expectoration easy, reducesthe soreness and just ammation. Ever W. D. Olney. one likes it.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver IIIs, Biliousness, Indirection, Headuche.
A pleasant farative. All Druggists.

LOOKING FOR HIS DEAD MASTER

The Late W. C. Carmichaet's Dor. "Don," Struck by a Car While Making His Unity Search for Him.

Don, the fine collie dog which belonged to the late Wm. T. Carmuchael, was struck by an electric car, yesterday, and had one shoulder broken. Tae fracture has been reduced and the limb put in splints ic the hope of saving the animal's life.

Ever since Mr. Carmichael's death, "Don" has been searching for him, and it was while looking for his dead master that he met with the accident above referred to.

Mr. Carmichael when making his trips over hie mail route was generally accompanied by "Don," who knew when the time for a delivery arrived and when it was time to make the cellections.

Every day "Dou" has gone over the mail route, looking wistfully for his dead master, only to return disappointed When the time came for making the collections the dog would start out, visit the several boxes and bring up at the rear entrance of the poet office where he would scratch at the door until admitted, when he would search the room and satisfy himself that his master was not

#### OVERCOME BY GAS

A Workman Rendered Unconceious White Digging for a Leak in the

For two or three days employes of the Gas Company have been digging on Monhagen avenue, near West Main street, trying to discover a leak in the gas main. Late Tuesday afternoon, James Burns. who was digging in the trench was seen to "Camp Rire" fall in a heap in the bottom of the

His companions saw at once the cause. He had uncovered the leak and as he had been breathing air impregnated with gas all day his system was pretty thoroughly saturated with the poison, and a few inhalations from the main prestrates

T\_e ambulance was called out and took him to his home on Fulton street. This morning he was apparently all right and returned to his

#### Bul: Terriers Sargerous Playthings for Small Children

A bull terrier fastened its te-th in the face of the four year-old daughter Silas Woodell, a Punghkeepsie lawyer, Tuesday evening, and hung on until a towel was put about its throat and it was choked into letting go. The child's face was most shockingly lacerated. She was playing with the dog in the nursery when it attacked her The dog was killed.

#### A School Boy Lover Taken in Hand by His Father.

Chester W. Hill, the sixteen-yearold son of a wealthy fron manu facturer, in Cleveland, O., who was a student at a military academy in Cornwall bec≥meso desperately enamore i of a pretty Newburgh girl, a child of his own are, that he left school a week ago and went to Newburgh to be near his inamorata. His disap pearance was reported to his father, who came to Newburgh, yesterday, hunted up the young lover and, with the help of the girl, induced the boy to return home with him.

#### The Right spirit,

Mr. James G. Dunphy, editor of the Newburgh Press, was a candidate for appointment as postmaster at Newburgh, which clace was won, yesterday, by Mr. L. W. Y. McCroskery. Mr. Duuphy takes his defeat good naturedly and says of Mr. McCros

He will fill the office to the satisfaction of the public during his term and when he retires will, we predict, leave an honorable record behind him. Toe gentleman will please accept our congratulations.

4 Brunken Tramp Cathered In, Ja ob Ackerman, tramp, was fouud lying on a baggage truck at the East Main street depot, yesterday. He was so full that the united efforts of three men were required to rouse him and land him in the lockup. He pleaded hard to be allowed to go free, this morning, and was discharged.

#### Cards of Thanks.

The thanks of Missionary Unon are heartily extended to the proprietors of the Middletown music store, for the timely gift of an organ.

A. M. H Swalm, Secretary.

Exposure to coid, damp winds, may result in pneumonia unless the system is kept invigorated with Hood's Sarsaparılla.

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Prayer Meetings - Birthday

From Our Regular Correspondent

-Maj. Murray Camp, S. of V., held its annual installation meeting, last evening. Mr. Chas. Scott officiated as installing officer. The following officers were installed:

Capt.-Fred B. Hock. 1st. Lieut,-J. J. Van Vilet. 2nd Lieut.-O. Frank O'Neal. Ohaplain—John Farrell. 1st. Sergt.-Wm. Terhune. Q. M. Sergt.-Chas. D. House. Color Sargt.-Jas. Barnes. Musician-Wm. Scott. Sergt. of the Guard-Jas. K Eck-

Corp of the Guard-Lewis Miller. Camp Guard—C. A. White. Picket Guard—Daniel Conklin. Camp Council-R. W. Write, John

Farreli, Daniel Conklin. After the installation of officers the Camp, with members of the G A. R., indulged in an old fashloned

-Wilbur Lawis Van Dyke,a homeless colored lad of tecder years, was sent to the Reformatory, yesterday, by Justice Swezey. He has a brother at Goshen who is a graduate of the same institution.

-Cottage prayer mestings will be

held this evening, as follows: Main street, Orange Hotel; Prospect ave nue, Mrs. Little's; Orange avenue, -St. James Guild will give a birth-

day party at the rectory, next Tuesday evening. -Frank A. Marriam, of Chicago, i

TRAMP LODGERS.

visiting in this village.

Over 1,590 Entertained by the City is the Last Two Years.

Capt. Grier keeps a record of the and Toweling. names, ages, occupations, nationalities and general descriptions of all the tramps who seek shelter in the lockup. From January 1st, 1891, to 1895, 740 tramps were provided with lodgings, while from Jan. 1, '95, to Jan. 1, '96, there were 813 homeless wanderers who were accommodated. When the workhouse at Goshen is finished, and these fellows are sent there for a few days, there will ba a perceptible decrease in the number

Three Presbyterian Courches Aban-

do 1e 1. The Presbytery of Newton has decided to abandon the Presbyterian churches at Hope, Warren county; Papakating, Sussex county, and Swartswood, Sussex county. They have been a severe drain on the finances of the Presbytery and the fields were found to be discouraging.

Injured at the Saw Works.

Mr. William Thompson while at work at a machine in the handle shop at the saw works, yesterday afternoon, was jostled by a fellow workmen in passing and his hand was caught in the machine and quite badly cut. Oaly flesh wounds were eustained.

An Afternoon Tea.

The ladies of St. Paul's Church will give an afternoon tea, to-morrow, from 3 t 5 p. m, at the residence of Mrs. J. O. May, 23 Wickham avanue.



#### Entertained Their Frieuds.

The Misses Marie and L'zzie Fian. nigan entertained about thirty c uples of their friends, Wednesday evening, at their home, 78 Cottage street. A m st erjoyable time was Installation of Officers of Mrj. nurray had by all, denoing being the feature Camp-sent to the Reformatory-Cot- of the evening. Refreshments were served at 12 o'clock.

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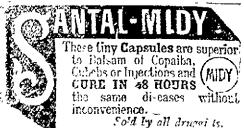
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- Her somber eyes are happier Than any joy that e'er had voice. Since I am happiness to her, I, too, rejoi e.
- And I have closed the door again. Against the world I close my heart.
  I hold her with my spell; in vain Would she depart.
- I hold her with a surer spell. Beyond her magic and above. If hers be love, I cannot tell,
- But mine is love. -Arthur Symons.

#### FIDDLING JIMMY.

He was long, lank and lean, light haired, with pale blue eyes, the product of the Missouri bottoms, where things sprout up with such amazing quickness and then mature with so much delibera-

When he dropped from a train at Dodge City, he had an old fashioned carpetsack in one hand and under his other arm was a fiddle in a faded brown bag. He looked about him somewhat in wonderment at the river and the rolling, treeless country merging into the sky far away to the south and then again at the long, crowded street on the other side. He looked but for a moment, however, and then proceeded straight to the office of the Southwest ern Stage company. His inquiry there

was short and to the point. "Have ye got airy job a feller kin

This was years ago, when Dodge was the end of the overland cattle drive and fully entitled to its reputation of a wild and woolly town. To the south for a few miles was a sprinkle of settlers and beyond that all was lonesome and inhospitable.

The Southwestern company always had vacancies. Along the many routes were certain relay stations, some of which were sure to be in need of keepers. There was one line in particular. running down to Tascosa, on the South Canadian, in Texas, a stretch of 250 miles, and just a little over half way was a station, No. 13, where a man was needed at once. The pay was \$40 a month. The duties were simply to watch half a dozen mules and have a team ready for the weekly buckboard that performed all the transportation, the freight being usually two of Uncle Sam's mail sacks. The company supplied a gun and ammunition, flour, coffee, salt and groceries. Truly it seemed a bonauza to our knight of the violin.

There was no haggling over terms, and Jim Cuschberry, fiddle and carpetbag were duly dispatched the very next morning to the field of sis new labors. And Jim was duly dubbed Fiddling Jimmy by clerk, driver and all who came in contact with him.

Jimmy had been duly informed that he would find things "sorter" lonesome out at No. 13, but had responded that he didn't "keer a durn" for being by himself. The fiddle was plenty of company

so his grab came regular.

Now, there were certain things about No. 13 that had been discreetly overlooked in the telling. It was 35 miles from the stations on either side and consisted of a square hole dug at the top of a steep bank overlooking a water hole in one of those plains creeks where such holes occur at long intervals, the remainder being simply a grass grown depression. The hole was roofed with cettonwood poles, upon which dirt had been thrown-a dugout pure and simple. There were a rude fireplace and a hole for a chimney. This was Jimmy's residence. There was a stockade up on the flat for the mules, and with this you have the station complete.

No men who knew the country could be induced to take No. 13 for love or money, so the company had to depend upon the ignorant and the transient. The country was full of rustlers and cow thickes. Occasional gangs of Indians from the nation used to slip along there, bent on any deviltry that came handy. When No. 13 was occupied, it was a shining mark for such gentry. The last occupant had been found, not a fortnight before, lying out on the flat with a build in the back of his head. The man before him had had a 30 mile ride for life and a month in hed from a leg broken by a winehester bullet. On each econsion No. 13 had been guired and the mules run off.

But in blissful ignorance Jimmy took possess in of his new home. The buckboard rathed away, the driver

be wanted. Twice he shot antelope commg down to detail and reveled in trish meat. He shot everything of any size that had weigs and feathers, and being unversed as to what was good or bad to eat cocked and tasted ail. Some he ate. and some he threw away. The backboards come by with prompt regularity, dumping off a sack of flour or meal, and the repertance weekly to headquarters. that the "feller with the fiddle out on Lost creek hadn't been pestered yet."

The "Differ" put in his days watching his stock, fishing, hunting, cooking and eating, and when the chill of the evenmg came after supper he would throw a little wood on his fire, draw up a soapbox seat and play on the fiddle until he was steepy enough to roll up in his blankets on the clay floor and sleep the skep of the man perfect in health and

conscience. But one evening when the shadows had failen on all the valleys and the upland, when there was but a lighter



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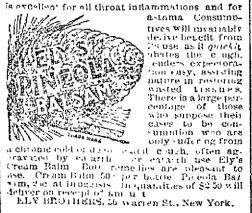
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shade over the west to show where the sun had bidden its daily farewell, there came slinking up Lost creek Crawling Wolf and seven of his dirty, ill smelling brethren, foul birds of the night, ready for anything, from petty larceny up to murder, provided the situation allowed

crime without danger to the criminal. They had a herd of stolen ponies corralled some miles below and were coming up to see what No. 13 might afford in the way of diversion. In single file they flitted along noiselessly as madows, now and then stopping, heads up, to listen, as is the wont of beasts of prey. Suddenly Wolf stopped shorter and more suddenly than usual, giving vent to a startled grunt. All stopped, rigid as statues, to listen. A faint wind rustled for a moment, died down, and then from afar came an unwonted sound in the wilderness. It was the sound of Jimmy's fiddle.

Cautiously the Indians crept closer and closer, stopping now and then to listen, until they reached the foot of the bank at the water hole. Just above them shone the light from the dugout entrance. The noise of the tortured fiddle was loud and clear, and at times Jimmy's voice was uplifted in old hymns and camp meeting songs reminiscent of other days back in Missouri. Quiet, but swift as crawling snakes, the intruders swept up the incline of the clay bank. A moment later they swarmed in on the musician. Jimmy was sitting at the side of his fireplace, and his winchester was near the door. Thus he was cut off from his only weapon.

When those Indians came in, filling up the little dugout, I doubt if in all the world there was a more surprised and frightened being than the keeper of No. 13. The music stopped. The hand that wielded the bow dropped as if paralyzed. Jimmy stared at the apparitions, while old Wolf smiled hypocritically and grunted "How!" Somewhat reassured by this apparent sociability, Jimmy managed to gasp out, "Howdy

The sons of the desert deliberately sat down on the bare floor, and old Wolf once more grunted out:

"Play fiddle more. We like." Jimmy played something at ouce, and of course after awhile wound up with a flourish, as all performers do, and stopped.

The somber audience gave no sign of approval or dislike. They sat perfectly still, except that their little eyes glittered and shone in the firelight like diamonds. But when Jimmy stopped Wolf grunted again:

"More. Jimmy played more and kept on in response to the request after each cessation. Finally he lowered the bow and protested:

"I'd like to be obliging, but I'm getting too tired." Wolf simply loosened a winchester from the folds of a dirty blanket, cocked it and presented it at the protestor's

body, grunting again: "Play more. Much heap. Damu

quick."

There was an immediate revival of musical activity. And so they kept the frightened fiddler to his work. He played his whole repertory over and over again, the audience never caring for the repetition. The night wore on. Far over the flats came the answering howls of the melancholy coyotes, quavering and dying away in a long drawn note of utter lonesomeness, but the sound of the fiddle never ceased. A late moon rose and slowly climbed toward the zenith. The big dipper in the northern sky dropped down and around the rolar star as though time were not the essence of the performance. Still the sound of the constant fiddle vibrated in the chill air. At last over in the east came a faint streak of light, and then all creation grew dim and gray. And with the first light Crawling Wolf stood up and shook himself. His brethren did likewise. They took Jimmy's rifle and everything portable on the premises, never allowing him to cease for a moment, then quietly filed out and disappeared in the

morning mists. About 10 o'clock next morning the keeper of station No. 12, over on the Beaver, happening to look up, saw something coming very rapidly over the hills from the southwest. The something soon resolved itself into a man on the back of some creature. As it came closer it was apparent that the creature 

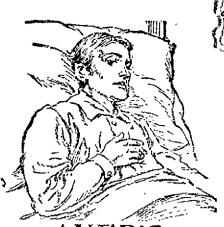
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[N. Y. S & W. P. R. R. Trains leave Main atract depot at 620,8:00 a m. and 4:46 p. m. Arrivo 12:07, 5:05, 7:45 p. m.

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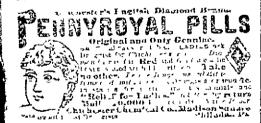
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ter, as a general thing, to do it directly, but there are times when it is allowable to come at the matter in a more roundabout course.

Two young elergymen were engaged in warm dispute over some deep theological question says an exchange, and finally raised their voices till they disturbed a dog that had been lying by the fire sleeping soundly. Thus suddenly wakened, the dog began barking lovery. At this an old pracher, who sat at table supping his tea,

turned and kicked the dog
"Be at 11" said he. What have you
to say about it, you silly bruter You
know no more about it than they do!"— Youth's Companion.

Nothing to Be Afraid OL



Boy (behind rock)—Ah, go out an grab im by de t'roat, Jimmy. What are yer him by de t'roat, Jimmy. so skerred about -Truth.

"I want to have a talk with you."

Drawing her to his knee, just as he was wont to do in the days when she was a little blond headed girl of 4, the fond parent laid his hand affectionately on the head of the young girl who was so soon to leave the dome-tic hearth around which had been tassed the happiest hours of her youth. Hortense McFarmacy had indeed all that a beautiful girl could wish for. The chaghter of a well known and popu-Lir druggist, she had never known what it was to want, for in the days when ber father was but a struggling prescription clerk she was as yet too young to realize their somewhat pinched circumstances. Hortense had always been his favorite, and when at one time she had advised him to cut down the profits on prescriptions from 805 to an even 800 per cent, while his nature strongly revolted, he at last consented to the change, and this perhaps is the strongest evidence that could be given of the power of this girl over the haughty and obstinate millionaire When, therefore. Hortune had confided to him. only a few weeks previously, that she was going to marry a well known post in the neighborhood it came as a great shock but the old man, did not robel. At tre time he had given his reluctant consent, but it was evident now from the firm look in his eye that he had come to some fixed determination that nothing could alter

"My dear," he said gently, "I have been thinking over what you said to me list week. While I he stated at the time to give me consent to your marriage with young McMeter, on consideration I am rather pleased at the thought of having such a talented young man in the family. I am aware that he is poor, but that is nothing against him. I am willing to help you along and make it easy for you. I am willing to stand by you as your father, but there is one thing I want to make

what can that be, papar" wenderingly neked the young girl as she looked up at him out of her immenous eves

'It is this 'replied her parent, "I want it distinctly understood, so there can be no mistake about it. I am not going to furrish bim with postage stimps "-

The Parson's Trouble.

" Once in awhile, " said a minister from out of town, 'I am asked a question that I cannot answ r Not long ago, early one Sunday morning, I walked out on my litthe tarm and came to a piece of woods here the subarrels were r On the limb of a tree which hung across the road I say, a pretty little fellow sitting mibbling at a rut. He didn't see me, and I draw my gun on him and caught him just as straight as a die. He fell, but caught on a limb and hung dangling over the road. Just then I saw one of my church members coming along on horse back, and I suddenly recollected that it was the Sabbath. Not wishing to influ ence by had example, I stuck my gun hastily inside the fence. When the man rode up, he said:

"Good morning, Brother Barker" thought I heard a gun." Did you ' I asked. 'In what direc

tion Just then the dead squirrel diopped from the tree right down on the pointed of my philshioner's saidle. We looked at each other are ence to Then I said.

"Brouge Roberts I must ask you to forgive me and not to montion this little attair. I commons for a walk, and for a moment I to get it was the noty withouth

day '
"That's all highe," Brother Roberts smilingly reliaed "I won't tell mybody -this is a new lat squarel-into my dear preather, presse tell me how did you happen to brieg your gan "-Lomsvillo Con nier-Journal



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15 - North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16 - North street and Wilber Ave., type shop.
17 - Raifrond ave. and Moutgomery St.
18 - Grand avenue and Frince street.
23 - Wickham a senue, corner I berty street.
24 West Main street, corner West street.
25 - North street, corner Wickham avenue,
26 - James and Henry streets.
27 - Nor a and John streets, Frie crossing.
28 - i ske avenue and West street.
29 - W. Moin street, corner Monhagen avenue.
21 - tate Hospital.
24 - Forspect street and Hordand avenue.
25 - High and Hanford - the ca.
26 - Canal street, condensery.
27 - Mulberry and Futton streets.
41 - Fulton street and Rauford avenue.
42 - Academy and Hondon avenue.
43 - E. Main street and Rauford avenue.
45 - E. Main street and Genung street.
47 - My rite and Fropper avenues.
48 - Grant street and sprague evenue.
49 - Franklin Square. L'I-Franklin Square. 38-Fairview avenue and South street 49-Corner East Main street and Prospect 54 - North street, near Orchard. 21 - Young before a box number, denotes that a 21 - Mills perore a box famoer, tenders a lest is being made. 1 strok- denotes circuit broken. 2 2-2 stroker of bill denotes ('href's call' 3 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time 4 etrokes of bell denotes recail, fire is out.

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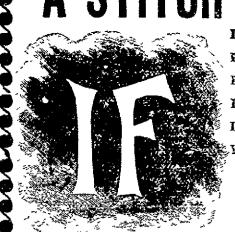
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Meavy Verdict Against a Paterson Mrewer in Favor of the National Bank -of Grange County.

In the Circuit Court at Paterson, rendered in favor of the National against James N. Graham, the well Enowe Paterson brewer.

The bank sued Mr. Graham to recover on a note for \$5.000 with inter- by 58 pins. est. Over four years ago Mr. Graham, according to his testimony, en-Marray, president of the bank, to Zease the Dundee race track, which finish. was to be conducted un fer the name of Mart Demarest, Mesers, Murray and Graham were to share the profits of the treck, but Graham at the time | home players show decided improvened no ready money to put up. It ment. The score: was agreed that he would make a mote for \$5,000, and Murray endoreed it. It was presented at the bank and discounted, and the Dundee busismeese, after a few days, fell through. The note was never paid, and the wank directors ordered the suit prought against Graham.

The case was contested mainly on points of law. Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Graham's lawyer, held that his client could not be responsible because the money raised was for unlawful purposes, such as the conducting of a race track, where the buying and selling of pools was carried on. This agreement was with the bank president, and not the bank, and consequently, in his charge to the jury, Judge Dixon directed a verdict for the full amount with interest.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE AT BULLVILLE ogramme of Exercises for Next Week's Meetings.

The following is the programme for the Farmers' Institute to be held, Monday and Tuesday of next week. at Bullville, under the direction of Geo. A. Smith, of the New York State Department of Agriculture:

MONDAY.

force.

Profitable milk production.

H. E. Cook, Denmark.

2 p. m — Que tien box.

The silo: How to build and fill.

F. A. Converse, wood file Cultivation of small fruits as a busi ness. J. E. Rice, Yorktown.

T p. m Question box.

Profit in poultry
J. E. Rice
The leaf: Its office, and the Importance of keeping it healthy
J. S. Woodward, Lockport, N. Y.

TERSDAY.

Music at each session. David P Ayerr, local correspondent.

A question box will be used at the opening session, and all are requestand to contribute. All are cordially Invited to take part. The pre-ence of ladies is especially desired.

"PICTURES FROM LIFE."

## G. Fields Minstrels.

One of the most novel and pleasing specialties ever introduced in minstrelry is that of Allan May, the popular descriptive baritone vocalist of As Al. J. Field Miastrels.

The title is "Pictures from Life," rand consists of a black curtain upon which are thrown stereoption Lictures of the vital points of the ballad being sung by Mr. May. This was & West Minstrels, last winter, at the Grand Opeca House, Naw York, Mr. May being with that company last ⊞еазоп.

#### HYMENEAL.

Mapes-St. Jahn,

William J. Mapes, proprietor of the Poelmann Hotel, at L berty, former y of this city, and Miss Maggie So John, of Mosticello, were married, yesterday, at 4 o'clock, by the Rev. David W. Howell. Fred Bt. John, of New York city, and Judson Mapes, of Goshen, were best men, and Floronce and Mary St. John were bridesmaids. The bride is a niece of the late Senator D. B. St. John, and a granddaughter of Fred St. John, Sr., a w althy resident of New York city.

#### T. M. C. A. Enteriniument to the Ladies' Auxillary.

will give an entertainment, Tuesday the fluest herds in Delaware county, evening, Jan. 23th, to the members of the Ludies' Auxiliary. This is the ble carload of cows ever sont out arst imethat such an entertainment from Delhi. has been given by the Association and every effort is being put forth to make it an event of unusual in-"Serest. An attractive literary and · mustcal programme is being arranged and so accomiliated elocationist : Irom Biston is to take part.

#### .Meid for the Grand Jury.

In the Port Jervis whiskey case, Justice McCormick, yesterday, dismissed James Conden, one of the illa, the one true blood purifier. men arrested, and held the other, H. A. J. Leard, in \$250 bonds for the Grand Jury.



24"H'S BOWLERS AGAIN BEATEN-

Easily Defeated by the Goshen Team on the Armory Alleys - Bowling Notes.

The Goshen Athletic Club's team westerday, a judgment for \$6 631 was had no difficulty in defeating the representatives of the 24th Separate Eank of Orange County, at Gosher, | Company on the armory bowling alleys, last evening. The bowiers from the County Seat won the first game with 134 pins to spare and the second

The 24th boys had a commanding lead in the second game, but went tered into an agreement with George | to pieces in the seventh frame, while their opponents made a "Garrison"

The teams will meet again to this city, Feb. 5 h, at which time the series will probably end unless the

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BOWLING NOTES. -Corporal Royce broke the month's record on the armory alleys, last evening, with a core of 220. Private Sargeant held the previous high score of 215. The member making the highest score is entitled to wear the new bowling badge for one month.

-The Goshen and Monticello teams will meet at Goshen, Friday evening, of this week. Capt. Howell of the Goshen team has extended an invitation to members of the 24th who desire to witness the games.

#### fo Compate With Electric Roads.

The latest and most feasible scheme to enable stream roads to compete with the trolleys is a coach capable of seating 75 people, with a steam motor in a cab at one end of the conveyance. The motor is worked by a moderately high pressure derived from an upright tubular boiler and one man can run the car and do all the firing. The car is capable of running 30 miles an hour and as only a conductor and engineer are required, it will cost only half as much in running expenses as an ord nary accommodation train. These cars can be run frequent through thickly settled sommunities.

#### For the Trial of Singhamton Bank Officials.

An extraordinary term of the Supreme Court has been appointed to be held at Cooperstown, Jan. 27th, for the consideration of the legal besegging and at beylovni anotherp prosecution of Morgan and Brown-A Pleasing Musical Feature of the Al son, who are charged with burglary and larceny in connection with the embarrassment of the Chenango Valley Savings bank in Binghamton, a year ago.

Nominated for Postmaster at New

Among the nominations sent to the Senate, yesterday, was that of Lewis W. Y. McCroskery to be postmaster at Newburgh. There were a number one of the big hits of the Primrose of candidates for the place, but there were no hard feelings developed during the contest, and Mr. McCloskery's ar pointment will give general satisfaction to the Democrata of Newburgh and of Orange county.

#### Erie's Changes in Rates of Fare.

On February first the Eria will advance the rate between Middletown and New York to \$1.86 for limited one way tickets. The unlimited rate excursion trip and strip will remain the same. The company will also place on sale at that time tickets to Gosben, one way 15 cents and round trip 20 cents. Tickets good only on day of sale, and not good for bag-

Oclaware County Jerseys Going to Maine.

P. B. Arbuckle, of D lbi, has sold his fine herd of Jerseys to O.S. Nichols, who will ship them to Maine, The members of the Y. M. C. A. The Gazette says that this is one of and is undoubtedly the most value-

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EYE CLASSES AND RUBB-RS-

The Wearing of Overshoes & Fruitful Source of Weak Eyes and Other Ills. From the Honesdale Independent

One of the overdone things of the present day is the wearing of eye glasses. Little boys and girls are made to look like old men and women in the popular and foolish fad. In some instances they are doubtless needed but we venture to say that this is not the case in more than one out of every ten.

The two principal causes of shortsightedness or weak eyes in children are the lack of out door physical exercise and the constant wearing of tubb rs. Study won't hurt the eyes of both boys and girls ii they can spend a few hours every day at vigorous work or exercise in the open air. The constant wearing of 1ubbers is doubtless the cause of many physical ailments in both old and young. A clog or rubber that covers just the sole of the shoe is the best and bealthiest kind to wear.

Who among many of the readers of the Independent have not stood in the woods all day in leather boots, with feet wet and snow half way up to their kness, yet never caught a cold or contracted any illness whatever from what at the present day would be considered a dangerous exposure? Total ..... 844 769

The boys of those early days, inured to what seemed hardships, we e as a rule rugged and healthy and in its short circumference. grew up to be robust men. Their sons and grandsons of to-day are largely tenderfooted weaklings, because they are reared as sort of house plants. Less protection and as much contact as possible with mother earth and the elements that traverse her sphere are what we all need.

#### CREENVILLE.

A Church Sociable-Injured by a Fall-Death of Raiph Coeymen-The Sick List-Personal Notes.

Correspondence Argus and MERCURY.

-A sociable for the benefit of the Greenville M. E. Church will be held Wednesday, Jan. 29. If stormy, the painful. next fair evening,

-Mr. Fred Hamilton fell from the etraw mow to the barn floor, a distance of several feet, injuring his back quite badly.

-A party of young men wenthunting, Tuesday, and killed six rabbits and a fox.

-Frank Corwin, of New York city, visited his home last week.

-Mr. Jacob Slingerland is visiting friends in Newark and vicinity. -Prayer meeting will be held at

the home of O. D. Ferguson, next Friday evening.

-- Miss Ida Ferguson is visiting in Port Jervis.

-We are sorry to learn of the death of Raiph Coeyman, the youngest son of the Rev. W. S. Goeyman, turned to Yonkers, last Friday. our former pastor.

-Mrs. Emma Hallock is suffering with erysipelas and neuralgia. She is under the care of Dr. Nugent, of

-Mrs. Thomas Oole is confined to the house with bronchitis.

-Peter Shawaburg is suffering

with pleurisy.

Must Use Milk Tickets But Once. From the Mitk Reporter.

In Schenectady milk dealers have been forbidden by the Board of Health to use tickets more than once. By constant handling they become foul and dirty and are often placed in pails and pitchers to the danger of carrying disease.

#### SOUTH CENTREVILLE.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY. -The New Esgland supper that is to be given by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church, will be held at Mr. William Holbert's, Friday evening,

instead of Robbins' Hall as was mentioned in Tuesday's paper.

Real Estate Notes.

E E. Conkling, real estate and insurance agent, has sold for Mrs. Jennie M. Utter, her farm situated in the town of Mount Hope, near Otisville, to Mr. J. B Smith, of Circleville, N. Y. Possession given April 1st.

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WURTSBORO.

Cone to Rosendale-A New House A Palufut Injury-Reformed Church's New Pastor - Personal and Local Notes,

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

-Dan Riley has gone to Rosendate to take charge of a notel property which his brother, Charles, has just purchased, "Charlie" is at Rifton, doing well.

-0. B. Newkirk, poultry breeder, has a hen's egg measuring 8 inches

-Jacob Helm has raised the frame of another new cottage on the Quian lot, on Pine street, next to D. Z. Wood's, A lew enterprising men like Mr. Helm would make our village into a city.

-A new bridge has been built over the saw mill brook on the Hiram Maeten place, now owned by Daniel

-Frank Muor, formerly of Mount Prosper, is estiously til at his hotel at Wortendyke, N. J.

-D. Cyrus Benedics was quite badly injured about the face on Saturday, while uploosening a binding pole on a wagon load of lumber at the home of Mrs. Ella Corwin, The injuries, while not serious, are

> -A. E. McCune and C. E. Stanton have each added to their store equipment a computing scale.

-Rev. James Lavelle has accepted the pastorate of the Reformed Church here, and will preach every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6 p. m.; Christian Eadeavor meetings, Sunday evening at 6 p. m ; Cottage prayer meetings where appointed, on Thursday even inge. Seats at all the services are free and everybody welcome.

-Saturday afternoon our young people, about forty of them, were skating on the D. and H. Canal and formed themselves into a singing class then and there. An odd place for such a meeting.

-Messrs. Chadeayne and Sauder, Sullivan County Club surveyors, re-

#### A PLEASANT EVENT

Annual Reunion and Reception o st. Joseph's Catholic Benevolent So-

The annual reunion and reception of St. Joseph's Benevolent Society was held in Nearing Hall, last evening. There were present about 25 couples, consisting of members and

their wives or sweethearts. Music was furnished by Messra. Garland and Barnes and dancing was kept up until a late hour. Refreshments were served in the hall during the evening.

An incident of the evening was a step dancing contest. The couples participating were Mr. M. Garland and Miss Agnes McConn; Mr. Charles Colleen and Mrs. Thomas Tierney; Mr. Patrick Mann and Mrs. Charles College. Mr. Garland and Miss Mc-Conn were declared the winners.

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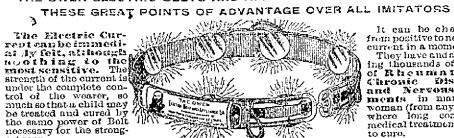
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